

THE BRITISH COLONIST.
Saturday Morning, Oct'r 28, 1871.

NEWS! NEWS!
The "British Colonist" is the only newspaper published at Victoria that receives the Latest Telegraphic Dispatches, as a comparison will prove. Late Telegrams appearing in any other paper are copied without credit 24 hours after they have appeared in the British Colonist. The circulation of the British Colonist being double that of any other paper published in British Columbia, it offers the best medium to Advertisers.

The Esquimalt Election.

The return from Sooke Polling Division was brought to town yesterday by Mr. Welch. The poll there stood—Robertson 6; Cameron 5; Cogan 1. Six votes only were cast, and those by electors residing around the polling place. Esquimalt, therefore, returns Mr. Robertson by a splendid majority, 34 returned a man! This ridiculous result is attributable to the division in the Reform ranks. Had the Reform vote been concentrated on Fisher, Cameron or Gaultier, the Modified Tariff candidate would have been nowhere in the contest. However, we find much reason for thankfulness in the return of Mr. Robertson, and trust the 34 Esquimalters who have voted for and elected Mr. Cogan may never have cause to regret their choice.

| | ROBERTSON | CAMERON | COGAN | TOTAL |
|-----------|-----------|---------|-------|-------|
| Robertson | 34 | 23 | 0 | 57 |
| Cameron | 23 | 22 | 0 | 45 |
| Cogan | 11 | 6 | 1 | 18 |
| Fisher | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Gaultier | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Brown | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

LITERARY PIRACY.—On the 20th Sept last we published a letter from a correspondent connected with the "Q" party engaged in the survey of the Canadian Pacific Railway on this side of the Rocky Mountains. Referring to that letter, the Ottawa Times of the 9th inst. says:—"A correspondent of the Victoria British Colonist, with Q party, writes an interesting letter in which he describes the country through which he passed in these words:—'There are several fine farms between Kamloops and this place, and thousands of acres of splendid land all ready for the plough waiting for the husbandman to turn it to profitable account.' In yesterday's issue, our local contemporary publishes the entire paragraph from the Ottawa paper, but in doing so he has committed the inconceivable meanness of substituting the name of his own paper for that of the British Colonist! We do not recollect ever having met with a more thoroughly contemptible piece of literary piracy. It is well known that the Toronto Globe is about the only newspaper in Canada that ever condescends to copy anything from the columns of our local contemporary, presumably upon the principle that 'Like draws unto like,' &c; hence, doubtless, the respectable attempt to appear to keep in good company."

SHOOTING AT COWICHAN.—On Thursday Patrick Brennan, a well-known resident of Cowichan, was brought down from that district and lodged in goal, under a warrant of commitment from Justice Morley, to await trial at the Assizes. Brennan and a farmer named Snow had a misunderstanding about a cow, and in the altercation that ensued Brennan fired one shot from a revolver at the other man. The shot missed its aim and Brennan was taken into custody. A few hours existed between the parties for some months and both the parties were before the County Court at its last sitting—the one as plaintiff and the other as defendant.

SKELTON CREEK.—The ghastly name first given to this stream in the Uminca Country has been dropped for that of Myers Creek. The bones found on its bank, upon examination, proved to be those of wild animals and not of human beings as at first pronounced. The creek is a likely looking one for gold.

AMONG THE ASHES.—The gold of Manson Creek is found on the benches and, strange to say, among a layer of ashes and the debris of a forest destroyed by fire centuries ago. Shuts sank through the layer to bedrock develop no gold.

THE FACE OF A DEALER IN INDIAN WHISKY illumined the dock of the Police Court yesterday. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

THE BOYS.—Capt Cooper with a party of men started yesterday to replace the Fraser boys. The Sir James Douglas, on Tuesday next, will assist at the same work.

THE MOUNTAIN ASH.—The bark Mountain Ash is discharging her cargo in excellent order. Few if any of the packages so far taken out are even stained.

THE NORTH PACIFIC sailed for ports on Puget Sound yesterday. Among the passengers were Miss Susan Anthony, and Mrs. Dunaway.

NEW PAPER.—It said that a "bit" evening paper will shortly be started at Victoria by a gentleman not unknown in literary circles.

PARIS LETTER.—Another of the interesting Paris letters from our special correspondent will be found in this issue.

SKATING RINK.—A large attendance of ladies and gentlemen is anticipated at the Rink this evening.

THE ENTERPRISE sailed for New Westminster yesterday with 20 passengers and a good freight.

THE BARK AMELIA, bound for Moody, Dietz & Nelson's Mills to load with lumber, arrived yesterday.

FOR AUSTRALIA.—Capt. Nagle has put the ship Maud Helen on for Melbourne. She will carry cabin passenger.

COMOX ELECTION took place on Thursday. News expected to-day.

COWICHAN ELECTION comes off to-day. Six candidates.

THE PRINCE ALFRED will sail again for Victoria on the 2nd November.

THEY ARE STILL IN DOUBT as to the result of the polling in New Westminster district.

BILLIARDS.—Mr. Dried has thrown open the Club Billiardroom to the public.

THE TELEGRAPH wires continued down yesterday.

A. GILMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outfitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel and opposite the Colonist Office, on Government street, fourth door from Yates, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick sales and small profits.

Dominion Mail Summary.

Respecting the Intercolonial Railway, the Montreal News says, "The accounts we have received from the Intercolonial tell us that the great work is progressing most satisfactorily. There can be no doubt that it will turn out one of the best built roads in America. None can surpass it in solidness of its construction, and the finish of the masonry of the bridges. It will, all things considered, be one of the first class roads ever built, a result the honor of which must be largely due to Mr. Fleming, the chief engineer."

By an order in council, passed on the 10th inst, Mr. Joseph T. Bartram has been appointed a Landing Waiter and Searcher in Her Majesty's Customs at the port of Ottawa.

Extensive fires were raging in the country adjacent to Ottawa and the St. Lawrence, and in the Lake Huron country, doing considerable damage.

A new locomotive house has been added to Montgomery's iron works (Halifax), and thirty locomotives for the Intercolonial Railway are being constructed there.

A man named Wambach, at Bridge-water (Nova Scotia), supposed to have been insane from hard drinking, murdered his wife and four children, and then threw himself into a well and was drowned.

A well-to-do farmer named Docker, near Danville, was returning from duck-shooting, when he saw a boy of about nine years, the son of a poor neighbor, helping himself to peaches. When within forty yards the cowardly brute deliberately discharged both barrels of his gun into the poor lad, hitting him sadly, but it was hoped not fatally. Docker had eluded arrest at least on account. He ought to be hanged on one of his own peach-trees.

In the township of Esquimaux, country of Hailton, a highly respectable farmer, named Thos. Aitkins, was gored to death by a valuable bull.

At the Guelph Industrial Exhibition, held on the 11th inst, the display of musical instruments, machinery, carriages, &c, is represented as being highly creditable to the country. There were upwards of fifteen thousand visitors on the ground at the opening.

Letter from Paris.

REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE OF THE "COLONIST."
PARIS, Sept. 16th, 1871.

Is President Thiers the author of his gushing message? That is the question. It possesses all the embellishes and few of the charms of his style. It is so sentimental, so full of bad taste, and lamentably unworthy of a statesman, and there are grounds for accepting the rumor, that he merely signed that document, as lengthily as it is feeble. No spectacle was sadder than the reception extended by the whole Assembly to the message. Some listened with chagrin, others with indignity, but all with astonishment. When the Deputies did not laugh they protested—and fourteen pairs of hands had the courage to applaud on its termination. It displayed neither tact nor judgment—it was like Jenkins pouring out a "bless ye, my children," with his whole soul. No person will dispute one of the passages that "France presents a very extraordinary spectacle to foreign nations." The Message labors to urge the Deputies to take a long vacation—but desires that they would not cease for a single moment to regard the Cabinet. It was said that only Providence and Louis XIV could brave the incessant contemplation of mortals. The physio-psychological paragraph, that as it is necessary to interrupt the action of the physical body by regular repose from toil, so it is essential to the mental repose, has been omitted in the authorized edition. As a Scribner observed of dramatic writing—that which is cut out is never missed. Only think, when all the world and his wife imagined France was a full republic, the President inopportunely reopens the burning question to demand of the Sphinx, will the country remain monarchical or republic? There was no occasion to debate protection in the Message, and clearly shows that the free-traders and ministers are now exactly where they were in February last. Nothing is resolved. The attitude of the ship in distress, the anxious crew and passengers—the haven of safety in view—is an old worn out property beneath the dignity of the occasion.

By a run of ill luck, the reading of the Message was confided to the weakest member of the Cabinet, who happens also to be nearly the most unpopular of the Deputies—Jules Simon, Minister of Public Instruction. He has survived all the chances and chances of port-folio since the fall of the Empire. He sticks to his like a limpet to a rock, and in the lobbies it is said he must undergo a surgical operation to be severed from it. He is a Free-Thinker, and may be often seen flanked by a couple of Bishops. He has a voice like a cracked bell—certainly not lost with singing of anthems like Jack Fastoff's—it is also full of powers. As the young and witty Deputy Castellan observed, the reading was "pathetic." On Sunday the Assembly holds its last or "stirrup sitting," and meets again for the dispatch of business on Dec 4th. The Ministers will thus have what they claim, not repose to work, but work to repose. In 1848 the Assembly sat 14 consecutive months, and did not demand either rest for body or soul. The majority, which speaks against the President but votes for him, must have a few parting kicks, so it decided not to give the President and the 'vigilance committee' of 25 deputies appointed to survey his conduct—that he will make a coup d'etat during the prorogation—the liberty to raise the siege of Paris.

In summing up the political situation a clerical journal assures us that in point of safety there is no difference between Thiers and Gambetta, both are empty bottles—and that the ex-dictator is very, very degenerated from the wild beasts that so lately held Paris in their fangs.

The Bonapartists accused the men of the 4th September of corruption in giving away the government contracts to people who knew nothing about the matter, to ladies with charms and to men without money. The Commission of Inquiry has just revealed the lamentable corruption practiced under the Empire. When on the eve of the declaration of war—when Marshal Lefebvre assured the nation that every military want had been so well provided for that for afterwards, after the commencement of hostilities, not a button would be needed for a soldier's gear, at the same moment rifles were not forthcoming, and agreeable editors and tit d ladies were allowed to contract for half a

million far above market price. The most curious of all, that Remington's were to be furnished direct from the factory, without Mr. Remington being consulted in the matter. All has been rectified, barren, from Dan to Bersheba.

The military tribunals continue to dispose of the *enchaines* of the Commune and as a rule the sentences are of a severe character—transportation for life. An accused endeavored to establish an *alibi*, that the day he was charged as being arrested on a barricade he was concealed in one of the public water closets that he had expressly hired for the occasion. But he was sentenced to imprisonment for life. Many of the prisoners arrested in consequence of shop-keepers and customers falling out, when both sides are marched off. An undertaker's man—a mute—has been arrested for being one of the most noisy subordinates of the Commune. After discharging his melancholy work of the cemetery, the police invited him to follow them. Goldwin, an accused, stated in defense that he acted as a National Guard under Louis Philippe, the Republic, the Presidency, the Empire, the Provisional Government, and continued as matter of course, his routine duty under the Commune. This was not a very bad defence for a prisoner, whose Counsel claimed a discharge because the client was laboring under 'reasonable monomania' the Court however condemned the 'rational lunatic' to a penal settlement.

All Paris seems to be going to St. Cloud by rail and returning by boat. The celebrated fair is more attractive than ever—but the scene is loggish; picnic parties on shattered walls and on the sites of houses. After groping along the once village visitors amuse themselves by ringing the house-bells—to be answered by echo. The plan is to do the ruins of the palace and descend to the fair ground through the park. There are all kinds of shows—devoted to tragedy, and comedy—and quite a cloud of Cheap Jacks and strollers. It is Bismarck supplies the food for all the jokes. As a monkey riding on a dog he performs wonderful tricks. In the 'devil's billiard' it is his head that the swinging ball strikes, his is the Gorgon mouth into which the wooden ball enters the winner receives six gingerbread nuts, he is the central figure in the Aunt Sally gallery—and it is refreshing to see the eagerness with which young as well as grown-up France aims at his helmeted head. It is all very well to represent the siege of Dijon, where Prussians and Garibaldians fought under the 'wall'—whose existence history does not record—but why invite us to 'look up' at the invitation of two gorillas, dressed as Prussians and permanently clattering away at a pair of steamboat log bells? There must be a good deal of marrying and giving in marriage going on just now in Paris, as half a dozen brides and bridegrooms, followed by the friends of both houses in a duck and drake procession, can be met with any day in the fair, the merry-go-rounds and penny theatres and in those shady parts of the park for talking age and whispering lovers made. Returning by the boat the best view of the damage done to the viaduct at Anteuil can be had. But carry a real bottle of eau de Cologne, as the grand trunk sewer discharges itself at this point and the tourist, without going to the Seine city, can count here just as well 'two and seventy' anches, all well defined.

The new Opera House is in a fair way to be finished. The architect proposes to give the public smoking-rooms. Why not? The articles will each have a dressing room fitted up with all the comforts of a home. Nor will his Sateau Majesty be forgotten; for the future, when it becomes necessary for him to make an appearance, instead of coming up clumsily through a trap door—which often extinguishes his Bengal light—the stage, by a hydraulic process, can be lowered to meet his Majesty. Only give us time and everything shall be put to rights.

The trees on the Boulevards, particularly near the ramparts, are undergoing a process of 'painless extraction' of bullets. It appears the presence of a 'foreign body' is inimical in the economy of the vegetable as in the animal kingdom.

M. Thiers' elder is dead—so he is now the sole representative of his family living his father having died not long ago. His sister, deceased, created some scandal a quarter of a century ago by opening a boarding house and displaying on a large signboard that it was kept 'by the sister of M. Thiers, one of the King's Ministers.'

The President promises to be swamped by petitions. He has received one from a philanthropist, who does not take a paper, to commute the sentence of death passed on Gambetta. Thiers sent it to the latter.

Since the last pensions awarded by the 2nd Empire to its creatures are to be revised, the prayers are arriving for the woodmen to spare the trees. After the Republic of 1840 was established the Assembly received a petition wherein the petitioner prayed that body 'to continue the pension awarded to him by the delectable Louis Philippe.'

George Sand is now writing for a journal in Paris at the rate of 150 francs per article.

MEDICINE CHESTS.—In the course of the discussion on the Medical Ordinance Amendment Bill in the House of Assembly, Mr. M. Bowker gave the following reminiscence touching 'hush-apotheke'. A Boer came to his house, asking if he could not help him with medicine or medical advice for his child, who was very ill. Mr. Bowker agreed to accompany the father to see the child, and on the way asked him whether he had not any medicines in the house. 'Yes,' replied the Boer, 'I have a hush-apotheke' (medicine chest). 'And have you given nothing out of it to the child?' 'Yes,' replied the father, 'I have given him something of each sort.' Of course, when they arrived at the place the child was dead.—[Cape Paper.]

An Unprotected System.
Do not fancy because you feel strong that you are impregnable to sickness. Whole neighbourhoods are frequently prostrated at this season by malarious fevers. Vigorous muscles and strong sinews, broad shoulders, and sound lungs are not defence against the mephitic vapors of autumn. Frames which have withstood the summer heat may succumb now. Many an athletic man, whose family depends for its support on his industry, now lies prostrate, weak and helpless as a babe, under the periodical assaults of chills and fever, or bilious remittent fever. This could not be if all were wise enough to provide against such a contingency, by toning and fortifying the system with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. This approved vegetable tonic is absolutely harmless, so that it is sheer folly not to take it as a safeguard at a season when diseases of the liver, the stomach, the bowels, and indeed all the visceral organs are generally prevalent. To keep the system in order and insure health, or to put it in order when this insurance has been neglected is the duty of every human being who values life. For both these purposes Hostetter's Bitters is designed and answers both. Petty local doctors are endeavoring in many parts of the country to substitute preparations made of impure and dangerous materials in its stead. Give them a wide berth. They are prepared by unskilful empirers, who want to turn a penny at the expense of the public health.

Princess Louise in Scotland.

On Sunday, which was also my rest, the Argyl family attended service at 11:45 in the parish church where the Rev. Mr. McPherson, the parish minister, preached. The Marquis and Princess did not attend the morning service, and the large congregation, many of whom had been drawn to the church by the hope of getting a good sight of the pretty couple, were a good deal disappointed. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon, however, they had ample opportunity of gratifying their curiosity and of hearing a most eloquent discourse from Dr. Guthrie, who preached in the pavilion to about 1,000 persons. The Marquis and Princess, the Duke and Duchess of Argyll and family, Lord Granville, Earl and Countess Percy, the Earl of Roden, Lord Gower and other guests still remaining at the Castle were among the attentive audience present. Seats had been provided for about 400, and the rest to the number of about 600 stood during the service. I happened to sit immediately behind the Princess, and could distinctly hear her joining in the singing of the psalms and paraphrases. I could also see that she had not the least difficulty in finding the places when the Doctor announced the verses to be sung. The text was taken from John 1st and 13th: "Which were born, not of blood, nor of flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God." The subject was illustrated with that wonderful power that has made the name of Guthrie so widely known. When about half through his discourse the Doctor paused, and requested the audience to join in singing a few verses of a paraphrase, so that he might have time to gather up his energies and collect his mental and physical force which has been so much shaken as to render him unfit for regular pulpit work for several years past. The whole discourse was beautiful and impressive. Dr. Guthrie's great power consists in his appeals to the feelings. His huge heart glows with a fire that communicates its heat to every listener. The big drops roll out from his eyes that peer from under heavy massive eye-brows, and trickle down the grooves that sixty years have worn in one of the finest and most expressive faces one can look upon.

REMEMBER THE FATE OF ABALOM.—Fred Payne, Tonsorial Artist, Shaving 12½ cents Hair Cutting 25 cents, Shampooing 25 cents That Original Cheap Shaving Shop stands on the sunny side of Johnson street.

Miscellaneous.

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IMPORTERS
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Commission Merchants
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And other Recent Arrivals,
A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

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BLANKETS all sizes and colors
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BROWN COTTONS, various widths and qualities
CARPETS
BOOTS & SHOES
OIL CLOTH, wide widths
TABLE OIL BAIZES
LIVERPOOL FINE SALT in 100 lb bags
do Coarse do do
TABLE SALT in glass jars
HOOP & SHEET IRON
TIN PLATE
WINDOW GLASS all sizes
WALL PAPER
WHITE LEAD and PAINTS
SALAD OIL in ½ pints, pints and quarts
JAMS & JELLIES in 1 lb & 2 lb jars and tins
TAPIOCA, Sago and Pearl Barley in 14 lb tins
COURRANTS in 25 lb tins
MUSTARD in 1 lb and 1 lb tins. Fine, Scandian and Double Superfine qualities
CURRIE POWDER and Currie Paste
PICKLES, Pick Fruits, &c
ENGLISH CHEESE
SPLIT PEAS in 40 lb tins
CONFECTIONERY in 7, 8 and 14 lb tins
VINEGAR in ½ casks
RASPS & CO'S ALE in pints and quarts
IND. COOPE & CO'S do do
YOUNGER & CO'S do do
BLOOD, WOLFE & CO'S do do
do do Stout do do
HENNESSY, Martell and Otard, Dupuy & Co's Brandy in ½ casks
RENAULT BRANDY in ½ cks & cases
RED & GREEN CASE GIN
IRISH & SCOTCH WHISKY in ½ casks and cases
JAMAICA RUM in hogsheads
OREGON PRODUCE, Flour, Middlings &c
Nos 1 and 2 Sandwich Island SUGAR
MOLASSES, No 1 quality
U. S. TEA No 1, in 26 lb Chests
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CONDUCTED BY
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Every attention paid to the Comfort of Boarders.
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FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
STEAMSHIP "PRINCE ALFRED,"
CAPTAIN FORBES,
Carrying "Her Majesty's" Mail, will leave Victoria for San Francisco on the 31st inst at 12 o'clock each month.
For Passage or Freight apply to
R. BRODIE & CO., Agents,
Wharf street.

FOR YALE AND INTERMEDIATE LANDINGS ON FRASER RIVER.
STEAMSHIP
LILLOOET
Capt O Parsons,
Will leave NEW WESTMINSTER on Wednesdays and Saturdays, until further notice.
N.B.—The above Steamer will not be responsible for leakage of liquors shipped in tins or glass. oct18/7

MERCHANTS LINE
FOR VICTORIA DIRECT.
THE A I CLIPPER BARKET.
C. L. TAYLOR
Will load in this line and sail on the 30th inst.
INSURANCE GUARANTEED.
For particulars apply to
WM. PICKETT & CO., Agents,
218 Front street, San Francisco.
Or to
R. F. PICKETT & CO., Agents,
Yates street, Victoria.

MERCHANTS' LINE.
THE CLIPPER BARK
ADELAIDE COOPER,
HAWES, Master,
Will commence loading for the above port at the Hudson Bay Company's wharf, on Thursday, Oct 26th, and will clear on Saturday, 29th inst.
For freight or PASSAGE apply to
R. F. PICKETT & CO.,
Yates street.

British Bark Mountain Ash, from London.
THE MOUNTAIN ASH, CAPT. R. F. PICKETT, will commence loading at 2 o'clock on Thursday morning, the 26th inst.
Goods left on the wharf after 5 o'clock p.m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of consignees. Consignees are requested to pay freight to the underwriter, by whom delivery orders will be issued.
24th Oct, 1871. SPROAT & CO. oct5

Bark Mountain Ash, from London.
NEEDLESS CAPTAIN CAIRE NOR THE underwriter will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel. SPROAT & CO. oct5

Consignee's Notice.
BARK ADELAIDE COOPER, CAPT. HAWES, is now discharging at the wharf of the Hudson Bay Company. Freight must be paid to the undersigned, by whom orders will be issued.
All goods left on the wharf after 4 p.m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners. R. F. PICKETT & CO. oct5

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SUMMER ARRANGEMENT!
Barnard's STAGES

Make the Best Time!
Drive the Best Stock!
Use the Best Coaches!!
Have Most Competent Drivers!
Carry Most Passengers!!!
Do the Largest Business!!!
AND GUARANTEE TO CONNECT WITHOUT LOSS OF TIME WITH THE STEAMERS AT EACH END.

Leave Victoria - - Fridays - - 10 a.m.
Yale - - Mondays - - 6 a.m.
Arrive at Barkerville on Friday following at - - - - 6 p.m.
RETURNING
Leave Barkerville, Mondays - - 6 a.m.
Arrive at Yale, Thursdays - - 6 p.m.
Arrive at Victoria, Saturdays - - 4 p.m.
Four Days Ahead
—OF—
H. M. MAILS.

REMEMBER THIS
Travelers by the Fast Line save from \$10 to \$20 Expenses by not loitering on the road as others do.

Pacific Insurance Co.,
OF SAN FRANCISCO.
HAS ARRANGED FOR THE PROMPT payment of all its liabilities in full, including those of the late
Chicago Fire.

An assessment of Stockholders has thus far been made to provide against any impairment of its Capital Stock, and business will be continued as heretofore.
A. J. R. BARNARD, Vice President.
San Francisco, October 12, 1871.
Agents in Victoria,
WELCH, RUTHERFORD & CO.,
Commercial Row, Wharf St.

NOTICE.
IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE STEAMER "Sir James Douglas" being required to assist in re-loading the Fraser River Lugs, the following alterations will be made in her trips along the coast—
Monday, 30th October, to Nanaimo and way ports, returning to Victoria on Saturday, the 4th November.
Monday, 6th November, to Nanaimo and way ports, returning to Victoria on Saturday the 11th.
U. W. PEARSE, Lands & Works, Victoria, B.C., Oct 28 1871. oct24/7

Auction Sales.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN, Auctioneers.
APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS & COMMISSION AGENTS,
WHARF ST. VICTORIA.

REG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf street, opposite the foot of Yates street. From their long experience in the above branches of business, and the promptness and attention they hope to secure a share of the public support.
Stocks, Stock in Trade, or Furniture purchased for Cash.
Liberal advances made on Consignments.
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Steamer FLY, &c. &c
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To arrive by next steamer direct from one of the best growers in Holland.
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M & J's stock of
FRUIT TREES!
Are this year in fine condition for planting and which, together with their
GENERAL NURSERY STOCK,
They offer at very moderate prices.
NEW NEEDS for Autumn sowing for the farm and garden in stock.
GARDEN IMPLEMENTS of all kinds.
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One hundred per cent saved by sending all orders direct to M & J.
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Javan in 1 and 1-2
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OUR ENVELOPES PROPERLY STAMPED are now reduced to 12 1/2 CENTS EACH or TEN DOLLARS PER ONE HUNDRED!
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BILLIARD TABLES
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A HOT LUNCH DAILY.
The Bar is stocked with the best of
Wines, Ales and Liquors.
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Cariboo Pork Market!
FORT STREET.
Next to the Scotch House.

EVANS & WILLIAMS.
REG TO INFORM THEIR OLD CUSTOMERS and the Public generally that they have re-opened at their old stand 15th & 16th they will manufacture the finest SAUSAGES from Grain Fat, Italian Pork, seasoned in the English, German and Italian styles.
WELTON MOHAWY RIES always on hand and made to order.

WANTED.
A SNAKE FINDER PUT UP ACROSS THE Point from Fallow Bay to Telegraph Bay.
Parties wishing to contract for the job will apply to P. Martin, 22 Corner of Cook and Fort Streets, Victoria. oct24 1w P. MARTIN.

NOTICE
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I pay for and accept of RENTS as well as other payments to be made to me.
oct30 L. S. LOWENBERG

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